

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT TACOMA

RICHARD ROY SCOTT,

Plaintiff,

v.

AL NERIO *et al.*,

Defendants.

Case No. C06-5340RJB

ORDER DENYING PLAINTIFF'S  
MOTION TO CONDUCT NON  
STENOGRAPHIC DEPOSITIONS  
AND GRANTING LEAVE TO  
CONDUCT DEPOSITIONS ON  
WRITTEN QUESTION

This 42 U.S.C. § 1983 Civil Rights action has been referred to the undersigned Magistrate Judge pursuant to Title 28 U.S.C. §§ 636(b)(1)(A) and 636(b)(1)(B) and Local Magistrates' Rules MJR 1, MJR 3, and MJR 4. Before the court is plaintiff's motion asking for leave to conduct non-stenographic depositions. The motion is **DENIED**.

Plaintiff has leave of court to serve written deposition questions on defendants counsel. Answers or objections will be due thirty days after service is accomplished.

The clerk is directed to send a copy of this document to plaintiff and counsel for defendants.

DATED this 16<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2006.

/s/ J. Kelley Arnold  
J. Kelley Arnold  
United States Magistrate Judge